

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

LYONS PARTNERSHIP, L.P., a Texas  
limited partnership; HIT ENTERTAINMENT,  
a United Kingdom limited corporation;  
GULLANE (THOMAS) LIMITED, a United  
Kingdom limited corporation; GULLANE  
(DELAWARE) LLC, a Delaware limited  
liability company; THOMAS LICENSING,  
LLC, a New York limited liability company,  
SANRIO, LTD. A Japanese company, and  
SANRIO, INC., a California corporation,  
  
*Plaintiffs,*  
  
V.  
  
STACIE WELLE, individually and d/b/a  
PARTY SAVER, and THADDEUS CHASE,  
an individual,  
  
*Defendants.*

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on July 1, 2008, we filed the attached *Attorney Appearance* by means of the Court's electronic filing system.

Respectfully submitted,  
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